



Form: PTO/SB/17 (Modified)

**REPLY/AMENDMENT  
FEE TRANSMITTAL**Attorney Docket  
No.

95704

Application Number

10/717,498

Filing Date

11/21/2003

First Named  
Inventor

Yamaguchi

Group Art Unit

2874

AMOUNT ENCLOSED

\$ 400

Examiner Name

Connelly Cushwa, Michelle R

**FEE CALCULATION**

| CLAIMS AS<br>AMENDED  | Claims Remaining<br>After Amendment | Highest Number<br>Previously Paid For | Number<br>Extra  | Rate       | Calculations |
|---|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------|------------|--------------|
| TOTAL CLAIMS  | 23                                  | 23                                    | 0 <sup>(3)</sup> | X \$ .00 = |              |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS  | 5                                   | 3                                     | 2                | X \$200 =  | 400          |
| Since an Official Action set an original due date of November 18, 2005, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed: |                                     |                                       |                  |            |              |
| If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110)   |                                     |                                       |                  |            | +            |
| Total of above Calculations =   |                                     |                                       |                  |            | \$400        |
| Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)   |                                     |                                       |                  |            | -            |
| <b>TOTAL FEES DUE =</b>   |                                     |                                       |                  |            | <b>\$400</b> |

(1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".

(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".

(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".

(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

**METHOD OF PAYMENT**☒ Check enclosed as payment.☐ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No., below.**AUTHORIZATION**

☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 necessary to maintain pendency of the present application to:

Deposit Account No.:

50-0687

OrderNo.: (Client/Matter)

95704

**SUBMITTED BY: Manelli, Denison & Selter, PLLC**

Typed Name

Jeffrey S. Melcher

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Signature

Date

November 16, 2005



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT Application of  
Yamaguchi *et al.*

Group Art Unit: 2874

Application No. 10/717,498

Examiner: Connelly Cushwa, Michelle R.

Filed: November 21, 2003

For: OPTICAL FIBER FOR ATTENUATING OPTICAL SIGNAL

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November 16, 2005

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED AUGUST 18, 2005

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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